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Separating Ions in the Gas Phase

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**Amendment**

Sir,

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on 10/18/2006. Please amend the application, as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.